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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to an Office Action mailed April 4, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 4-5 as follows:

4. (Twice Amended) A preparation of replication defective recombinant retrovirus expressing human factor VIII protein, wherein said recombinant retrovirus is capable of infecting human cells and is resistant to degradation by human complement, wherein said recombinant retrovirus preparation has a titer of HT1080 cells on greater than 10^6 cfu/ml.

5. (Twice Amended) A preparation of replication defective recombinant retrovirus expressing human factor VIII protein, wherein said recombinant retrovirus is capable of infecting human cells and is resistant to degradation by human complement, wherein said retrovirus preparation has a titer of HT1080 cells on greater than 10^7 cfu/ml.

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